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In re Patent Application of

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COMPOSITION AND A PROCESS

FOR FORMING A RESIST PATTERN THEREWITH

MAIL STOP AF

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REPLY AND AMENDMENTS PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. §1.116

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action [Final Rejection] dated February 22, 2005, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows: